(b) by when the old bridge which had collapsed is likely to be restored after its repairs?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI RAJESH PILOT): (a) March, 1990.

(b) June, 1989.

S.T.D. facility in Andhra Pradesh

322. SHRI GOPALA RAO RAO: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state the names of town cities in Andhra Pradesh which are already connected with S.T.D. facility and those likely to be linked with S.T.D. facility during 1987-88?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI SANTOSH MOHAN DEV): Names of towns|cities in Andhra Pradesh which are already connected with STD facility are given in the Statement attached (*see* below). Names of Towns|cities in Andhra Pradesh likely to be linked with STD facility during 1987-88 are given below:

(i) Puttor (ii) Ramchandrapuram (iii) Samalkot (iv) Tuni

Statement

Names of towns|cities in Andhra Pradesh already connected with STD facility as on 31-3-87

1. Adilabad
2. Adoni
3. Anantpur
4. Ankapalle
5. Bhimavaram
6. Bobily
7. Chillakaluripeth
8. Chittoor
9. Cuddappah
10. Daggirala
11. Eluru
12. Gudiwada
13. Gudur
14. Guntakal
15. Guntur
16. Hanamkonda
17. Ibrahimpattanam
18. Kakinada
19. Karimnagar
20. Kavali
21. Kazipet
22. Khammam
23. Kompolli
24. Kovvur
25. Kothagodam
26. Kurnool
27. Lingampalli
28. Machilipatnam
29. Mehboobnagar
30. Nalgonda
31. Nellore
32. Nandigama
33. Nandyal
34. Nizamabad
35. Ongole
36. Palakole
37. Patancheri
38. Pamidi
39. Peranki
40. Rajamundry
41. Ravulapalam
42. Renigunta
43. Secunderabad
44. Sangareddy
45. Srikakulam
46. Srikalahasti

47. Tadepalligudam

48. Tanaku

49. Tenali

50. Tirupati

51. Tirumalla

52. Vijayawada

53. Visakhapatnam

54. Vizianagram

55. Warrangal

56. Prodattur

New flight services from Bombay, Calcutta and New Delhi to Tirupati

323. SHRI TALARI MANOHAR: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal under Government's consideration to introduce new flight services linking Tirupati with Bombay, Calcutta and New Delhi, in view of the difficulties being faced by the pilgrims from these areas visiting Tirupati;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof; and

(c) if not, what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION AND MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF TOURISM (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER): (a) At present there is no such proposal under consideration.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) Presently, Tirupati airfield is not capable of accepting B-737 aircraft. As such, it is not possible to introduce services to Tirupati from Bombay, Calcutta and Delhi.

Removal of library-cum-Bookstall in Andhra Pradesh Express

324. SHRI TALARI MANOHAR: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the library-cum-bookstall in 123/124 Andhra Pradesh Express between Secunderabad and New Delhi has been removed, if so, what are the reasons therefor;

(b) whether Government have received any representations to start again the library/book stall in Andhra Pradesh Express; and

(b) if so, what action is being taken by Government in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (a) Yes, Sir. As per existing policy, no new Mobile library-cum-Book stall contract is to be awarded after termination of existing contracts.

(b): Yes, Sir.

(c) the request for re-introduction of Mobile library-cum-Bookstall in Andhra Pradesh Express has not been agreed to.

Development of Railway Station in Andhra Pradesh

325. SHRI TALARI MANOHAR: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal to develop and introduce computerised rail reservation at the Rajahmundry, Kakinada and Waltair railway stations in Andhra Pradesh; and

(b) if so, what are the details thereof and the amount allocated for this purpose?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.